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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: William F. AFTOORA      Docket No.: WFA-1400  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT A**

**I.      INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorney, hereby respectfully respond to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2004.

Submitted with this Response is a Request for a one Month Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and a check in the amount of \$60.00 as required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1).

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.**